

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

April 23, 2021



Yesterday, during Earth Day, California State Parks shared photos of Big Basin Redwoods State Park, showing the regrowth and renewal happening this spring, more than 8 months after the CZU Lightning Complex Fire.

Photo Credit: CA State Parks // Twitter



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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

- **CDPH Statewide Travel Advisory**

As of 04/02/21, CDPH and the CDC recommend delaying travel until persons are fully vaccinated. For more information visit: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/Travel-Advisory.aspx>

SITUATION SUMMARY

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) (Continued)

Beginning Wednesday, 04/21/21, the State Operations Center (SOC) changed the reporting tempo for the COVID-19 Sit Stat and Trifold Reports from daily to once a week. Updated reports can be expected every Wednesday of each week until further notice.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 04/22/21 at 1100 hours:

- 144,206,946 (+1,106,796) total confirmed cases in 219 countries and territories
- 3,065,402 (+16,555) total deaths

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 04/22/21 at 1000 hours:

- 31,602,676 (+118,528) total confirmed cases
- 565,613 (+1,321) total deaths

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 04/22/21 at 1100 hours:

- 3,622,427 (+2,126) total confirmed cases

COVID-19 Vaccines Administered – Per Vaccine Task Force as of 04/22/21 at 2359 hours:

- 26,454,819 (+2,694,696) vaccines administered
- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

2021-04-20 Drought, Sonoma and Mendocino Counties

Proclamations

- On 04/21/21, the Governor proclaimed a regional drought emergency for the Russian River watershed in Sonoma and Mendocino counties, where reservoirs are at record lows following two critically dry years and accelerated action may be needed to protect public health, safety and the environment. The text of the emergency proclamation can be found [here](#).
- On 04/20/21, CSWC received a Proclamation of Local Emergency from Mendocino County due to drought conditions. The county is requesting a Director's Concurrence, the Governor's declaration of statewide emergency, California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA), and all applicable state funding and resources available to the county.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

BNSF Railroad Derailment, Kramer, San Bernardino County

On 04/22/21 at 0750 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received notification from Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Services Coordinator advising that San Bernardino County Operational Area reported a train derailment at Kramer Junction in San Bernardino County.

- Incident Command (IC) has been established.
- Approximately thirty cars derailed at the time of initial report.
- Unknown HazMat (known hazmat on train but unknown if derailed cars involved).
- No smoke or fire.
- No current evacuations.
- No current road closures.
- Power in the area may be affected as two power poles were taken down.
- No current unmet needs being reported.
- Manifest has been obtained and the IC is currently determining what was on board so they may establish an appropriate response.

At 0923 hours on 04/22/21, CSWC received a report from Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway (BNSF) advising that fifteen cars derailed due to unknown causes at Milepost 775.7, Mojave Subdivision in Kramer, San Bernardino County.

- The Main Line was closed and reopened on 04/23/21.
- Some of the cars derailed upright and some on their sides.
- There were no reports of hazardous materials released and no injuries reported.
- No waterways are impacted.
- Local Police Department and Fire Department are on scene.
- CSWC personnel performed notifications per SOP.

At 0920 hours on 04/23/21, BNSF reports that Main Line is reopened, and the railcars have been cleared.

Natural Gas Release, Downey, Los Angeles County

On 04/22/21 at 1233 hours, the California State Warning Center received a report from SoCal Gas advising a third-party excavation company struck a six inch mainline with a directional bore causing a release of an unknown amount of natural gas in Downey, Los Angeles County.

- Material was venting into the atmosphere.
- Police Department and Fire Department were on scene.
- There are no injuries reported.
- Southern California Gas Company controlled the release at 0305 hours on 04/23/21.
- CSWC performed notifications per SOP.
- Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Natural Gas Release, Downey, Los Angeles County (Continued)

Per Cal OES Regional Duty Officer:

- No schools are locked down.

Per CSWC State Alert & Warning Program Manager:

- At 1237 hours on 04/22/21, the City of Downey sent a WEA alert intended for the local radius around the incident to all of Los Angeles County.

Per Cal OES Law Branch Duty Chief:

- Los Angeles advised this is a local event and they do not need any state assistance.

Per Cal OES Fire Branch Duty Chief:

- Fire assets were deployed.
- Gas company continues to be on scene to complete repair.

Evacuations

- All evacuations lifted at 0340 hours on 04/23/21.

Road Closures

- There are road closures from Stewart and Gray Rd., Paramount Blvd. until Rives Ave.

Shelters / Evacuation Centers

- Approx. 16 households remain displaced.
 - The utility company established a shelter at a hotel.

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

Southern California Edison (SCE)

- Nothing significant to report.

San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: California National Guard (CNG) personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- 5 CNG 20-person Hand Crew to support CAL FIRE (to include all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials).
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- [There are no lifeline route closures.](#)

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation

AT&T Community Isolation, Los Angeles County (Initial/Final)

On 04/22/21 at 1729 hours, CA 9-1-1 Branch advised that AT&T reported a Community Isolation affecting 1,822 Wireline and VoIP users in Los Angeles (zip code: 90046). Currently 324 Wireline and VoIP subscribers are affected, which is below the SB670 reporting thresholds.

- Time Outage Started: 04/22/21, 1646 hours
- Time Outage Reported: 04/22/21, 1717 hours
- Time of Resolution/Restoration: TBD
- Total Outage Time: TBD
- Jurisdiction Affected: LASD - West Hollywood Sheriff Station
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless Users Impacted: No
- Wireline Users Impacted: Yes
- VoIP Users Impacted: Yes

Service Interruptions

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- No significant weather to report.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- NWS Las Vegas has issued a Fire Weather Watch, which is in effect from Saturday morning through Sunday evening. Critical conditions expected in the afternoon through the early evening hours for portions of San Bernardino County.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

04/23/21 - 04/29/21

Friday

- Areas of fog with some light drizzle along the coast Friday morning and night
- Breezy to gusty winds across northern California Friday.
- Areas of showers developing over northern California Friday night

Saturday-Thursday

- Much cooler temperatures arriving for the weekend and early next week. However warm temperatures continue through Saturday for the southeastern deserts.
- Areas of fog with some light drizzle along the coast Saturday morning
- Breezy to gusty winds across much of the state Saturday, especially in the mountains and across portions of southern California, especially for the western Mojave desert where there may be visibility reductions due to blowing dust
 - Strong gusty winds on Saturday over the Sierra and near the Nevada border
- Periods of rain and snow increasingly likely to develop for much of the state Saturday through Monday,
 - Areas of heavy snow and gusty winds over Lassen Park, the Sierra Nevadas and into the Sequoia National Park Saturday night through Monday morning



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/23/21 - 04/29/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds		Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Southern			
Snow		Inland	Inland	Inland			
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)		Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland				
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern			Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



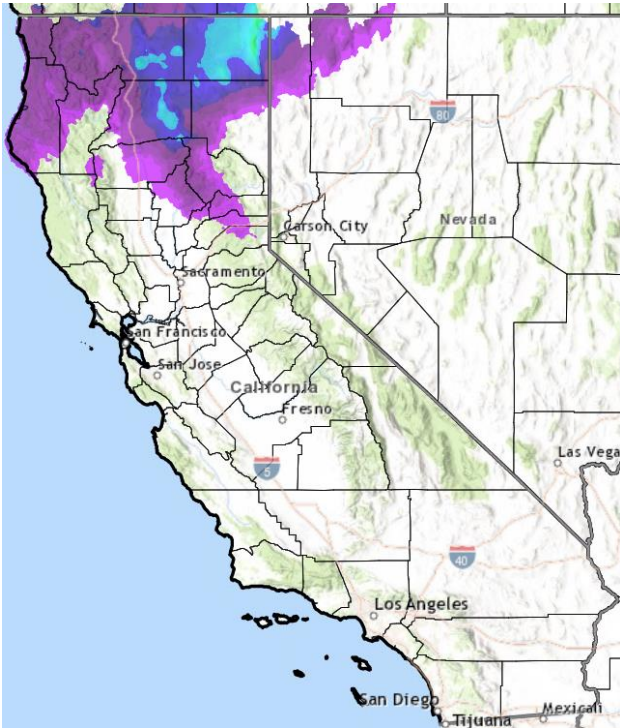
Moderate Impacts



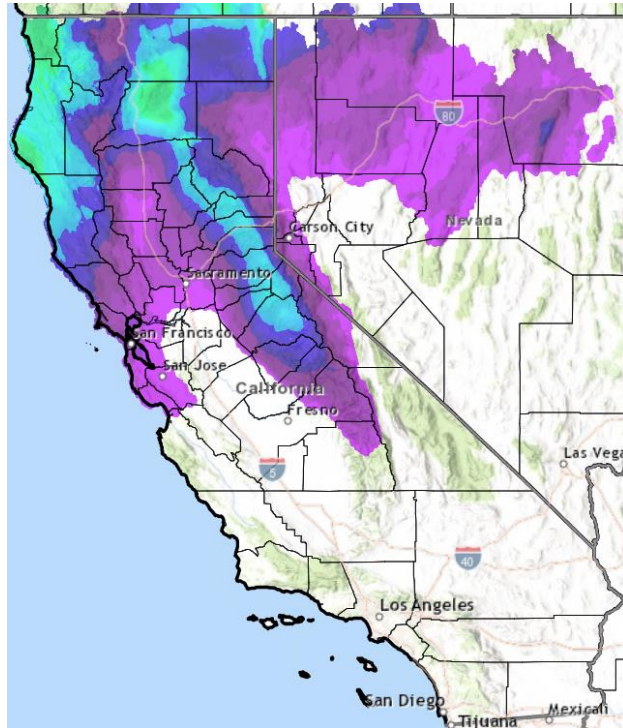
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

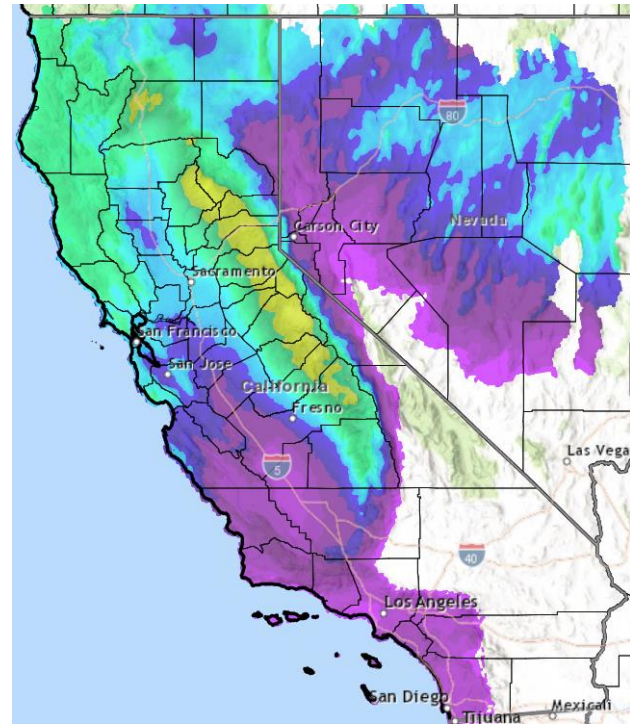
04/23/21 - 04/25/21



Friday



Saturday



Sunday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

04/28/21 - 05/06/21

6-10 Day Outlook (April 28 – May 2)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored for the entire state

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for the northern two-thirds of the state, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (April 30 – May 6)

Temperatures

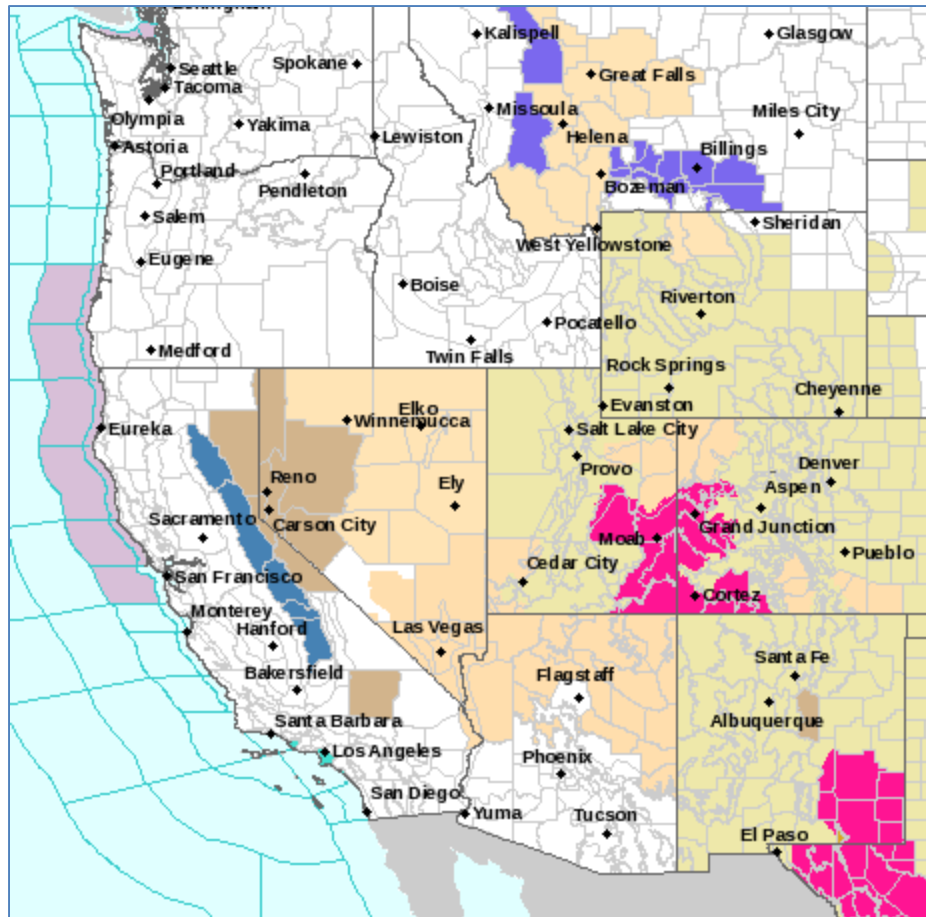
- Above normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for much of the state



WEATHER MAP



[High Wind Warning](#)

[Red Flag Warning](#)

[Winter Weather Advisory](#)

[Dense Fog Advisory](#)

[Small Craft Advisory](#)

[Lake Wind Advisory](#)

[Wind Advisory](#)

[Beach Hazards Statement](#)

[Winter Storm Watch](#)

[Fire Weather Watch](#)

[Special Weather Statement](#)

[Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2021-LAW-61418, 04/22/21 at 1613 hours**, the Warning Center contacted LDO and advised the IERCC was reporting an InREACH activation in El Dorado County, Lat 38.844985, Long -120.157900, Pyramid Peak Rocky Canyon Trail. Message- two 19-year-olds had summited, but could not descend, no medical issues and they had provisions, but were cold. LDO relayed information to EDSO SAR and they were enroute. Update 2145 hours EDSO SAR located the subjects at around 1915 hours. The hike out would take several hours. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2021-LAW-61344, 04/20/21, 1644 hours**: Sonoma County Superior Courts requested forensic computer assistance, they believed someone had hacked into their system and were currently trying to gain additional access to the system. Sonoma County was connected with personnel at Cal OES Cybersecurity and the San Francisco FBI Office. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2021-LAW-61276, 04/20/21, 1000 hours**: Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) is requesting K-9 support for Hawthorne Police Department (HPD). HPD is looking for critical missing subject in the city. Orange County Sheriff's Department is responding with the requested resources. **MISISON CLOSED.**

Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- **2021-TACCOM-0422:** Kit-1 and HQ-10 of Sonim phones to Chico State and the CPUC for their annual Cellular speed test. Typical usage time is 30-45 days.



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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.